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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Response is made in reply to the Final Office Action dated November 21, 2007, setting a two-month shortened statutory period of response expiring January 21, 2008.